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Mark Foutch is Mayor of Washington's Capital City, Olympia. A 14-year city council veteran, Mark has consistently reached beyond purely local issues to learn and engage on regional challenges, and beyond. He's currently vice president of the Association of Washington Cities, represents cities on the Governor's Emergency Management Council, and is co-chair for Washington State on the Cascadia Project, which promotes improved transportation choices, trade, tourism and sustainability in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. Past assignments include chairing the six-county Olympic Region Clean Air Agency and the Thurston Regional Planning Council. He was an 11-year member of the Puget Sound Regional Council Transportation Policy Board. Mark has made climate change a personal policy interest, testifying before State legislative committees, and presenting Olympia's experience at conferences in Seattle and Eugene.